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PRESIDENT THOMAS DELIVERS ADDRESS

Welcomes Freshmen to College of Daniel P. Thompson at Opening

Pleads for Fuller Awakening to Magnificence of Vermont Environment

"Vermont as an Educational Environment" was the subject of President Thomas' address at the opening of the 121st year of Middlebury College. Quoting from Thompson's "Green Mountain Boys", in which the author of that famous story attributed to his Middlebury experiences the inspiration of his writings, Dr. Thomas said:

"What interests me particularly in this noble tribute is Thompson's testimony to the influence of his Vermont environment in this education. His wanderings in fields and woods up and down this valley, his excursions in the mountains, to Lake Champlain and Lake Dunmore, wrought mightily upon his mind and spirit. The hills and the forests were important elements in his education. He studied deeply and intimately also in the early records of this region, so that in scaling mountains and treading forests, he did not merely look upon beautiful scenery, but he made real to his mind the character and spirit of the men who settled these valleys and won and saved the freedom of the early Vermont commonwealth.

"We look out today upon the same majestic mountains as greeted the eye of the author of the story which gave the world its fixed impression of the character of Ethan Allen and the early Vermonters. The same documents and sources are open to us as those which so stirred his imagination, and every year is bringing new ones to light. We ought to make more of our Vermont environment. I trust we may soon find larger use in an educational way of the magnificent Green Mountain Estate which is the unique possession of this college. Many of you are Vermonters by birth and residence; others have chosen Vermont as the place of your college education. To all of you Vermont has much to give, through its rugged climate, its beauty of valley and mountain, and particularly through its marvellously interesting and instructive history, especially the story of its founders, the men who made Vermont."

From old documents in the possession of the college President Thomas showed that Vermont was once regarded as the Northwest. He pointed out the wetern characteristics in the descriptions of Vermont by Dr. Samuel Williams, the early historian of the State. From an old pamphlet by Elias Hall published in Montpelier in 1825 he proved the likeness of the Vermont settlers to the pioneers of the West. "The settlement of Vermont", he said, "has it kinship, not with Jamestown and Plymouth and Massachusetts Bay, but with the extension of American territory over the vast interior. The original Vermonter was not the weak successor of John Smith and John Alden, but the precursor of the western frontiersman. Ethan Allen and Daniel Boone were brothers in spirit, pioneers of a new race, the stalwart men who subdued the continent and wrought for America its home. It is a far cry from the Pilgrim Fathers, with their Cambridge learning, their Psalm singing, and their missionaries to the Indians, to the Green Mountain Boys, with their buckskin breeches, their rude, brusque

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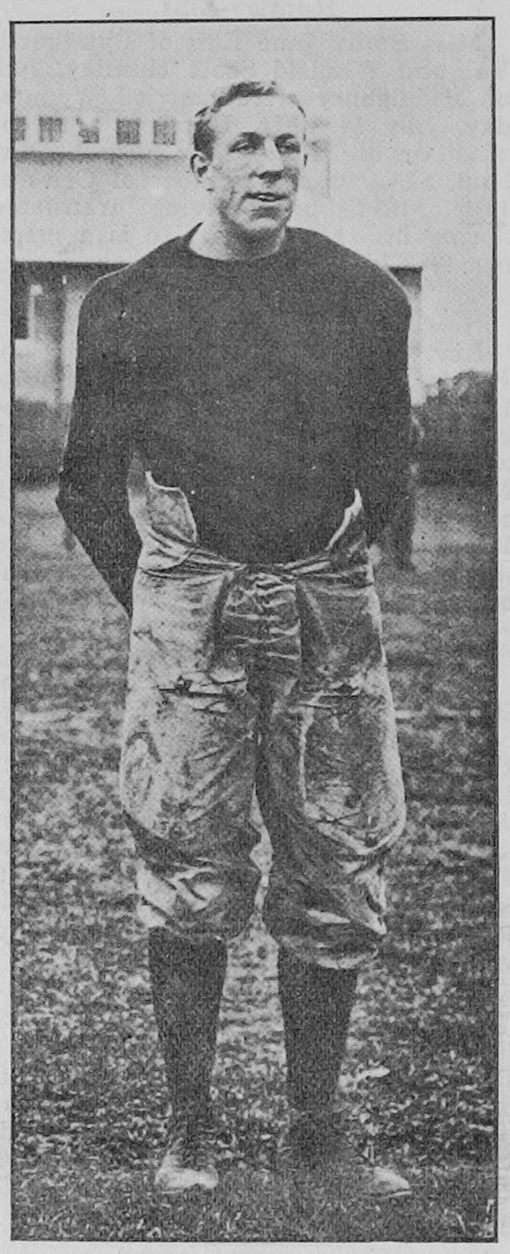

FAMOUS MENTORS DRILL BLUE TEAM

Dave Morey All-American Back, and "Dutch" Elder Assist Coach Brown During First Week

Facing one of the most promising seasons in Middlebury gridiron history Coach Arthur M. Brown and forty odd candidates for positions on the 'Varsity eleven have been availed the services of two expert lieutenants during the first week of regular practice through the substantially increased athletic appropriation from the A. Barton Hepburn Athletic Fund of $65,000. Dave Morey, Dartmouth 1913, All-American half-back and one of the Green's stellar athletes has been engaged for the entire season and arrived in time to take part in the pre-

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ENROLLMENT RECORDS SMASHED AT ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST OPENING OF COLLEGE

MIDD WINS OPENER FROM UNION

Gollnick Scores Lone Touchdown as Result of Straight Plunges; Keppler Fails in Try for Goal

Playing under weather conditions which would rival the heat of mid-August Middlebury met Union at Schenectady Saturday in the opening game of the 1920 season and brought home a 6-0 victory. The value of a training camp, hardening and conditioning the men was clearly demonstrated. Without two weeks of preliminary training at Dunmore it is doubtful if the team could have successfully weathered Union's powerful attack.

In the second period after a series of line plunges by the backfield Middlebury reached the Union two-yard line and Gollnick, full back on last year's State Championship eleven, went through on the next play for the only touchdown of the game. Keppler's try for the goal hit the cross-bar and failed to bounce over. Middlebury's second chance to score came in the final quarter when a successful aerial attack brought the ball to the Union twenty-yard line only to have the final whistle blow when the Blue was within good striking distance of the Union goal line.

Although out-weighed on the line, most of Middlebury's thirteen first downs were made on line plunges. Union only succeeded in making six first downs. Leonard was forced to punt but twice and got off two good kicks which netted sixty yards. Union punted seven times. Middlebury's one try to score by a drop kick was unsuccessful.

The fact that Middlebury was able to gain a total of one hundred eighty yards against Union's sixty yards is highly encouraging and indicates to some degree the superiority of the Blue eleven. Though most of the ground gained resulted from straight football tactics the fact that the use of the forward pass was so successful in the final quarter demonstrates that Coaches Brown and Morey are devel-

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Full Registration Totals 435; Freshmen Class Numbers 166; Students Seek Rooms in Private Residences

Middlebury College opened its 121st year Thursday with the largest freshman class, the largest total enrollment and the largest net gain in its history notwithstanding a 50 per cent increase in tuition, board and room over last year. The incoming class numbers 166, or 35 more than the Class of 1923 one year ago. The total registration 435 shows a gain of 74 over that of 1919. Every available room in the four dormitories, the three fraternity houses, the women's cottages and the Maison Francaise is in use and numerous students have obtained living quarters in private residences. Middlebury's entrance requirements have seldom been more rigid than this year.

College reopens with the addition of eight new members to its teaching staff, one more than the number which was announced last June. Three members of the faculty, Professor Everett Skillings, Professor William S. Burrage and Professor Perley C. Voter who were granted leaves of absence for the year 1919-20, have returned.

Two members of last year's faculty, Professor Myron R. Sanford and Dean Edgar J. Wiley of the Men's College, were granted one year leaves of absence last spring. Numbered among this year's additions to the teaching staff are: Dr. Allen M. Kline, College of the Pacific, History; Dr. Stewart MacDonald, Colby College and Boston University, Economics; Professor Julian Moreno-Lacalle, U. S. Naval Academy and for many years Dean of the Spanish School, Middlebury Summer Session, Spanish; Professor Frederick F. Williams, Pedagogy; Professor Wendell B. Phillips, Piedmont College, English; Walter G. Kleinspehn, Chemistry; Alfred T. Larsen, Music; Hollis G. Cooley, Middlebury 1920, Mathematics.

Housing facilities of the college have been severely over-taxed by the unusually large registration. For the first time in four years all of the men's dormitories are filled and several first year registrants have obtained rooms in private families. This condition has been paralleled in the Women's College. Despite the enlargement of Hillcrest Cottage and the renting of the Piper house on Weybridge street, last fall, the college authorities have been obliged to seek elsewhere for rooming accommodations. To this end the Eddy house on the same street and a large frame building opposite have been converted into temporary dormitories for members of the incoming class.

Enlarged enrollment and the opening of Maison Francaise have made necessary the opening of two more college-owned eating places. At "The Gables", formerly the Piper house, a new dining hall is being operated which accommodates 43 persons while twenty are now eating at Maison Francaise. Both of these dining halls are under the supervision of Mrs. Kate Mills as is the one at Battell Cottage, now catering to 162 women. Difficulties surrounding frequent deductions for absences at Hepburn Commons have

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EDITORIAL

More Dormitories or What?

The influx of 172 students seeking baccalaureate degrees coincident with the one hundred and twenty-first opening of Middlebury College has sorely taxed this institution's housing facilities.

With rooming accommodations for approximately 367, exclusive of fraternity houses, Middlebury now has a total enrollment of 424 undergraduates, leaving 57 whom it has been unable to place in college buildings. This number is about equally proportioned among the two colleges.

But Middlebury did not awake overnight to this dilemma. For the last half dozen years the Women's College has been hard pressed to provide living quarters sufficient for its rapidly increasing numbers. This year is, however, the first since 1916 when the College has been unable to supply residences on the campus for all of its men undergraduates.

What has been done by way of relief? The Women's College effected a temporary solution by the addition of small cottages. Since the completion of Pearsons Hall in 1911 two have been purchased and outfitted as dormitories and two rented for this purpose. The two latter buildings, situated on Weybridge street, were added during the last two years and have been given to the housing of freshmen women. Many others, above the number whom these additions accommodate, have obtained rooms in private residences while six are residing in the Maison Francaise.

What can be done? The College has gone to the limit of its available funds in relieving the situation; now it must turn to the townspeople, relying upon their uncertain disposition to provide living quarters for an ever-increasing number of men and women students—unless further accommodations are forthcoming.

Middlebury College is growing. In 1910 the institution boasted 275 undergraduates; by 1920 this number had increased to 424, a gain of 54 per cent. This year the Men's College aimed for an entering class of 100 men. It just failed of attaining that mark. Now it is predicted that the Class of 1925 will exceed 200, with more than 100 men. Where will the College put them? By sheer lack of housing facilities will Middlebury not, in the near future, be compelled to stem this normal growth and fix unnatural limitations upon the size of her incoming classes?

The problem has a solution. Today we are dealing with causes. Tomorrow we shall be facing results. The answer is—MORE DORMITORIES. Of loyal alumni and other friends of the College The Campus asks—may we have them?

Freshmen: Your Decision

Force of circumstance through the existence of two radically different systems of fraternity pledging attaches immense importance to the decisions made by freshmen men this year. Two systems, mutually contradictory in nature, are offered. The Old Plan which has regulated fraternity pledging at Middlebury for the past three years, locates Pledge Day on Thursday, October 7, at the end of the first two weeks, and is at direct variance with that one adopted by three fraternities last spring, providing for an open season of rushing during the first semester followed by a Pledge Day on the reopening of college after the spring vacation. The decision as to which shall be this year established at Middlebury is wholly within the jurisdiction of the first year men. Manifestations by a majority of the freshmen men of their disposition to accept or reject pledges from two fraternities on October 7 will automatically endow one or the other system with permanence.

The Campus declines to take other than an impartial stand. It counsels the men who are destined to decide a highly important factor of college life in this institution to a serious and deliberate consideration of fact and promise. It invokes those who would join fraternities at any time during the year to a thorough regard for the weight which attaches itself to their decisions as affecting future first year men. It decries any decision, one way or another, which does not follow an exhaustive search for information. It warns against any pledging which is not the outcome of these carefully laid steps or one which is based solely upon temporary likes or dislikes springing from flattering and misrepresenting mouths.

The Campus believes that adequate data regarding both systems has been made available to the men of the 1924 class. It further believes that much of the welfare of future fraternity and necessarily college life at Middlebury depends upon the outcome of this year's test. It therefore challenges the incoming men to an awakening to their uncommon privilege and to a shouldering of their manifold responsibility.

NUPTIALS

Huntley-Ellis

Miss Emily Jane Ellis of Lyndhurst, Va., and Winfield Scott Huntley, 2nd, of Middlebury were married Wednesday, July 14. Mr. Huntley, a recent graduate of Trinity Law School, Durham, S. C., was a member of Class of 1916 Middlebury, having transfered during his third year. He is a member of Chi Psi Fraternity.

Adkins-Hasseltine

Rev. Leon McKinley Adkins of Pittsford, Vt., and Miss Hazel Louise Haseltine were married July 7 at the bride's home in Reeds Ferry. Both were graduates of Middlebury College, Miss Haseltine of the Class of 1916 and Rev. Adkins of the Class of 1919. They will reside in Pittsford where the groom is rector of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Dixon-Halford

'19. Miss Madeline E. Halford of Pittsfield, Mass., and Rev. E. R. Dixon of Bethel, Vt., were married August 17. Mr. Dixon is under engagement for missionary work at Mt. Silinda, Africa, but the time of his service is uncertain and he will continue at Bethel for the present. Mrs. Dixon was graduated from Middlebury College last year and is an accomplished violinist.

Good-Wright

The marriage of Alma A. Wright of Deerfield, Mass., and Earle V. Good of Hartford, Conn., took place September 3, at Christ's Church, Hartford. Mr. Good was a member of last year's graduating class while the bride was a member of the Class of 1922.

Taylor-Skinner

On Sept. 19, Willard Gifford Taylor, ex-'21, was married to Miss Charlotte Huntington Skinner at the bride's home in Mexico, N. Y. Mr. Taylor has been studying at Columbia University during the past year. Mrs. Taylor is a graduate of Vassar College, Class of 1919.

Esten-Cady

On June 30, Mildred Henrietta Cady, '19 of Middlebury, was married to Douglas Esten '16. They are living in Roslindale, Mass.

Brailey-Nash

Dorothy Nash and Earle W. Brailey of South Royalton, Vt., were married at the home of the bride in Webster, Mass., on August 14.

Harrison-Harris

Among the summer marriages of interest to Middlebury was that of Summer Denby Harrison '18 to Margaret Harris, '18 at Malone, N. Y.

PERSONALS

'18. Carrol R. Stearns, Bristol, Vt., has entered Harvard Law School.

'20. Stewart Ross, West Rutland, Vt., has entered the School of Medicine, Harvard University.

'20. Samuel Cohen, Newark, N. J. has entered Columbia University, School of Law.

'20. William H. Huggard, Brookfield, Vt., is to teach Latin at Abbott School for Boys, Farmington, Me.

'20. D. Howard Moreau, Freehold, N. J. has accepted a position with New York Telephone Co., New York City.

'20. Malcolm G. Wright, Rutland, Vt., has accepted a position as instructor of modern languages at Tome School, Port Deposit, Md.

'20. Emerson B. Ross, Poultney, Vt., is working with the New York Telephone Co., with offices in the Broad St., exchange, New York City.

The Periscope

"Fourscore and seven months ago, our fathers brought forth on this college a new periodical, conceived in liberty anl dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable Rights, and that among these are Life, Liberty and Freedom both of speech and press."

"The history of the present (and previous) Kings of The Campus is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations of these rights, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute tryanny of his staff."

This summer when our w. k. and efficient Editor in-Chief called at our New York office, through a stroke of good fortune, we became creditor of his personal note and with this as security were able to shatter "the ramparts of autocracy". We are therefore pleased to announce that the Voice of the People will henceforth receive expression through the enlightened vision of The Periscope.

Raised at last to the dizzy heights of a Columist—spokesman for the masses, frankly we are frightened at the prospect and fearful of the consequences of our mission.

We are reminded that college opened Thursday. In fact our worthy contemporary The Burlington Free Press had advance notice that "the fall term of Middlebury College will open tomorrow with the CUSTOMARY preliminary address by President John M. Thomas" We must admit that we have never heard quite the same speech before but then we have only been here for three openings.

The same account reports enthusiastically that "the total enrollment will be between 130 and 140 students". Which must remind our visiting alumni of the days when Starr was "the new dormitory built to accommodate the great increase of undergrads."

Not to be outdone by this flattering report the rival Rutland Herald informs us that "Messrs. Tolman, Botsford, Sherman, Fletcher and Eddy all have children in the entering class". We have scanned in vain for such courses as would be adaptable to such immature minds.

Or perhaps the announcement was so worded to make the typesetter's stint easier by offering a crib from our w. k. hymn which begins "Sons of Fathers We." (viz. p. 170)

At that it does seem good to be back. There are, of course, certain things we must accustom ourselves to. To wit, our local telephones. We vainly banged the receiver for at least ten minutes before we realized that cranking was necessary. Then we called—Ring 3 instead of—Ring 2, our geographical locations still being rather confused.

We never used to take especial pride in our knowledge of the National Pastime but now we insist that it takes more than the average intellect to comprehend these words of a dopester reporting for The New York Times: "Two victories by Brooklyn in the remaining six games will put the Robins beyond the reach of the Giants. The Giants would necessarily lose one game since Brooklyn cannot win two without taking one from New York. Allowing Brooklyn two victories in the six games while the Giants win all except one * * * "

Something tells us—and Vermont—that Middlebury will have a whale of a football team this fall.

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TIMBERMAN WILL CAPTAIN 1921 NINE

Popular Third Sacker Played Varsity Ball Two Seasons

Five Veterans of Present Season Will be Available Next Spring

Joseph W. Timberman '22 was chosen captain of baseball for 1920 in the post-season election conducted by Manager Fred Brigham '21 made necessary by the fact that no election was held at the close of the past season.

"Timmy" was originally a first sacker, playing four years in that position with the star Jamesburg High School nine of New Jersey and later for one year on the Rider Business College team of Trenton, New Jersey. During his first year at Middlebury he was shifted to third base and played the entire season there. Last year he returned to his old position at first and will doubtless captain the team from that position next year. Timberman hails from Jamesburg, New Jersey, is a member of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity, is a member of Delta Tau, and has been a member of the basket ball squad for the past two seasons.

He will have Mead, Elmer, Hulihan and Stockwell as the nucleus of veterans around which he will build his team for the 1921 season. There will be no lack of material for a good nine the coming season as there are several experienced players already in college as well as the unknown quantity in the freshman class. Manager Brigham has his schedule already under way.

MAURICE STEPHAN TO TEACH IN TARRYTOWN

Maurice Stephan, of the class of '23, has received an appointment to teach French and Latin at the Irving School, Tarrytown, N. Y. Stephan was born at Melun, Seine-et Marne, France and graduated from Professor de Visme's school, Chateau-de-Soisy-sous-Etiolles, in 1918. He came to this country with Professor de Visme in 1919 and after a course in the Summer School that year entered college in the fall. During the past summer he acted as Secretary of the French School.

'88. Edwin L. Allen, Shorthand Reporter of the Court of Common Pleas, Pittsburgh, Pa., was recently elected President of the National Shorthand Reporters Association at their convention in Denver.

Middlebury's Entering Class

Class of 1924

Men

Ernest Marvin Adams Bridgeport, Ct.
Edgar Theophilus Austin, Margaretville, N. Y.
Maynard Joseph Axtell, Deposit, N. Y.
Douglas Edward Bailey, Mount Kisco, N. Y.
Arthur James Bickford, Saranac, N. Y.
Vincent James Biffer, Poultney.
Clarence Henry Botsford, Rutland.
Robert Austin Brainerd, South Hadley Falls, Mass.
Frank Edwin Button, Brandon.
Richard Thayer Calef, Keene, N. H.
James Goodman Carlton, Granville, N. Y.
Charles Stowell Carroll, Troy, N. Y.
Harvey Walter Coates, Lynn, Mass.
Arthur Hasbrouck Connor, Napanoch, N. Y.
Reginald Lansing Cook, Milford, Mass.
Bruce Needham Coolidge, Rutland.
Chester Russell Corsen, Worcester, Mass.
Herbert Stearns Corttis, N. Grosvenordale, Ct.
Rollin Ray Crane, San Diego, Calif.
Donald Hastings Cruikshank, Salem, N. Y.
Donald Bartlett Doe, Franklin, Mass.
Kenneth Piper Doe, Franklin, Mass.
Robert Doolittle, Fleischmanns, N. Y.
Harold Norman Durkee, East Lynn, Mass.
James Breakenridge Emory, East Orange, N. J.
Arthur Nichols Ferry, Wayne, Pa.
Paris Fletcher, Middlebury.
Robert Paul Force, Brattleboro, Vt.
James Kimball Ganson, New York, N. Y.
Alexander Durnett Gibson, McIndoe Falls.
Alexander Graham, Hardwick.
William Tilden Hammond, Mishawaka, Ind.
John Gladstone Hardy, Ludlow, Mass.
Stanton Avery Harris, Middlebury.
Arthur Kelly Healy, New York, N. Y.
Walter Francis Hellman, Bridgeport, Ct.
Ralph Lysle Hougaton, Wallingford.
Charles L. Howard, Ludlow.
James Allan Hunter, St. Johnsbury.
Rolland Augustus Kamens, Bridgeport, Ct.
Samuel Reed Kendall, Brandon.
John Robert Hudon King, Hawkinsville, Ga.
Lester Earl Klimm, West Hartford, Ct.
George Krichbaum, Canton, O.
James Franklin Leahy, Farmington, N. H.
Andrew Peter Lobo, North Adams, Mass.
Joseph Rippel Lockwood, Greenwich, Ct.
Michael Joseph Lorenzo, Bridgeport, Ct.
John Joseph Mayercik, Danbury, Ct.
Cornelius Gilbert Moynihan, Holyoke, Mass.
William Ward Osteyee Poultney.
David Haydn Parry, Cleveland, O.
George Williams Peck, Rutland.
Cyrus Curley Perry, Rutland.
Norman Hanna Polhemus, Dover Plains, N. Y.
Russell James Pratt, Bridport.
George Aubrey Aloysius Quill, Boston, Mass.
Donald Wehr Riley, Hamilton, O.
Reginald Merriam Savage, Newport.
Wilmarth Allan Sherman, Chicago, Ill.
Cecil Clarence Simmons, Millerton, N. Y.
Theodore Lawrence Soistmann, Maple Shade, N. J.
Robert Gale Spaulding, Rutland.
Paul Leander Squires, North Creek, N. Y.
Ralph Carroll Sturtevant, Burlington.
Lyman Martin Thomson, Amherst, Mass.
Philip Merriam Toleman, Thomaston, Ct.
Michael George Tulley, Cornwall.
Charles Edson Vose, Rutland.
John Irvin Way, Reading, Mass.
Payson Rex Webber, Rutland.
Daniel Wexler, New Haven, Ct.
Lloyd Raymond Wheeler, Bridgeport, Ct.
Warren Langdon Whitten, Malone, N. Y.
Judson Watrons Williams, Burnside, Ct.
George Winthrop Wilson, Springfield, Mass.
Arthur Elbridge Witham, Lynn, Mass.

Total 78 freshmen
3 old "

Women

Adaline Frances Angier, Walpole, N. H.
Lily Jane Axton, Washington, D. C.
Everett Barksdale, Sherborn, Mass.
Emma Ruth Belcher, Chester.
Jessie Jean Bennett Manchester.
Marian Louise Billings, Walpole, Mass.
Alice Nielsen Blanchard, Montpelier.
Florence Lillian Bolger, Fair Haven.
Iva Louise Brooks, Pike, N. H.
Margaret Pelton Brown, Enosburg Falls.
Helen Louise Canerdy, Waterbury.
Helen Gertrude Cleveland, Greenwich, N. Y.
Barbara Allerton Conant, St. Johnsbury.
Genevieve Conaway, Davenport, Ia.
Ruth Cooley Cowles, Hartford, Ct.
Marjorie Emily Currier, Danville.
Minnie Amelia Cushman Lincoln.
Lillian Helen Dirks, Portsmouth, N. H.
Ruth Eddy, Middlebury.
Helen Rosella Field, Greenfield, Mass.
Sarah Louise Fisher, Fort Fairfield, Me.
Norma Winifred Foster, Greenfield, Mass.
Elizabeth Augusta Gordon, Winthrop, Mass.
Carrie Julia Griffith, Danby.
Margaret Bradley Harriman, Middlebury.
Sara Rosalind Higgins, Conway, Mass.
Viola Lowessa Holt, Rochester.
Amy May Hunt, Bellows Falls.
Marion Jeannette Janes, Worcester, Mass.
Marjory Luella Johnson, Batavia, N. Y.
Edith Temple Jones, Fair Haven.
Margaret Barbara Keir, Whitefield, N. H.
Kathleen Frances Kirby, Wall River, Mass.
Lillian Vianna Knight, Torrington, Ct.
Marjorie Knox, Taunton, Mass.
Helen Margaret Leeney, Waterbury, Ct.
Helen Crawford Lingham, Newton Highlands, Mass.
Helen Esther Littlejohn, Woodbury, Ct.
Sylvia Myra Lyon, Manchester.
Margaret Julie Mahoney, Worcester, Mass.
Janice Mead, West Rutland.
Madge Lillian Merritt, Morrisville.
Dorothy Miles, Holden, Mass.
Marjorie Miles, Holden, Mass.
Beatrice Annette Mills, Middlebury.
Ruth Gardner Nelson, Granville, N. Y.
Adeline Florence Newman, Bethel.
Florence Noble, Middlebury.
Marion Elizabeth Pellett, N. Grafton, Mass.
Erminie Lucile Ostiguy, Rutland.
Sadie Ruth Posner, Waterbury, Ct.
Marion Louise Potts, Howe Cave, N. Y.
Ruth Elizabeth Quigley, Barre.
Helen Sanborn Roscoe, Barre.
Beatrice Helen Schutt, Morrisville.
Edith Mae Sirica, Waterbury, Ct.
Emily Louise Sisson, Schaghticoke, N. Y.
Elizabeth Webster Smith, Gloucester, Mass.
Frances Charlotte Smith, Fair Haven.
Margaret Estella Smith, Bristol.
Margaret Louise Stearns, Conway, Mass.
Roberta Stevenson, Chester.
Mary Bailey Stewart, Fairfax.
Dorothy Victoria Taylor, Bardwells Ferry, Mass.
Helen Aravilla Taylor, Waterbury, Ct.
Edris Hope Thayer, Bellows Falls.
Margaret Mary Tomasi, Barre.
Ruth Tuthill, Lowell, Mass.
Doris Katherine Upton, N. Leominster, Mass.
Edna Patricia Volin, Pittsfield, Mass.
Wilma Louise Walsh, Dorset.
Olive Arlene Walters, West Rutland.
Marion Elizabeth Welcome, W. Chesterfield, N. H.
Anna Elizabeth Wilkinson, Rutland.
Geraldine Catherine Wimmett, Middlebury.
Viola Alice Wood, Wells.
Gladys Lyle Wright, Deep River, Ct.
Phyllis Dorothy Wright, Crown Point, N. Y.
Edith Marian Young, Pawlet.

Total 80 freshmen
3 old "

Men

1922
Pierre Stephan, Paris, France.

1923
James Sullivan Hunt, Rutland, Vt.
Abel Truman Way, Burlington, Vt.

Women

1922
Annie Lucile Baldwin, North Stratford, N. H.
Emily Florence Cass, Pasadena, Cal.
Velma Don Gates, So. Pasadena, Cal.

1923
Matilda Fanny Axton, Washington, D. C.
Marion Chaffee Prince, Franklin, Mass.

FIRST VESPER ADDRESS BY J. PERCIVAL HUGET

The opening vesper address was delivered last Sunday afternoon by the Rev. J. Alexander Huget of the Tompkins Ave., Congregational church, Brooklyn, N. Y. His talk was especially adapted to meet the problems of opening a new college year. The discourse was centered upon the theory that each one has an appointed place in the world and it is the duty of each to find his or her place and fill it. The speaker also stressed the fact that practically nothing is unattainable if effort is prompted by the right spirit.

Rev. Huget is well-remembered in Middlebury by those who heard him deliver the Commencement address several years ago.

'11. Hiram D. Moore is Assistant Professor of Bacteriology in the University of Oklahoma.

Ex-'11. Harold Turner Brooks was married September 4 to Miss Mary Elizabeth Howells of W. Winfield, N. Y.

"DUD" DRAKE, FOOTBALL GENIUS, VISITS TOWN

George R. Drake, more familiarly known as "Dud", graduate of the Class of 1902, All-American end with University of Pennsylvania and whose return for the purpose of coaching the Blue eleven one week previous to the Vermont game last year proved a strong factor in Middlebury's 20-14 victory, was a recent guest of Jack Frost, proprietor of a downtown drug store, while journeying through Vermont. "Dud's" never-to-be-forgotten promise, "If Middlebury wins, I will return next year" is the occasion for widely expressed hopes of followers of the Blue eleven for his re-appearance later in the season. Dr. S. Ashley, graduate of University of Pennsylvania and close friend of Drake's accompanied him.

Roland E. McSweeney, St. Michael's College, Winooski, Vt. Teaching at St. Michael's, and attending Medical School at U. V. M.

RUSHING EXPLAINED BY DR. HARRINGTON

Interfrat Council Head Discusses Two Systems With Freshmen

Two Pledge Days to be Observed This Year—First Oct. 7

Dr. Vernon C. Harrington, Chairman of the Interfraternity Council, addressed first year men on the subject of this year's rushing systems following the Chapel service Friday morning. Dr. Harrington explained that the fraternities are pledging this year under two distinct and separate systems. The Kappa Dalta Rho and Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternities are, with minor exceptions, observing the old two weeks rushing rules of former years which provide that men may be rushed during the two weeks following the opening of college and may accept bids on Pledge Day, Thursday, Oct. 7. At this time sealed bids will be delivered to the new men and must be answered in writing by three o'clock on the same day. Dr. Harrington explained that pledging will not of necessity be limited to this date by either of the above fraternities but that, according to the old rule, bids may be issued any time after the 7th.

The Delta Kappa Epsilon, Chi Psi and Delta Upsilon Fraternities will operate this year on a new system of second semester pledging. The mechanical arrangement of the second Pledge Day will be similar to that of the other fraternities but instead of the two week limit, bids will not be distributed until after the beginning of the second semester.

Both systems agree that no fraternity shall pledge more than fifteen men during the year and that initiation is to follow closely upon the receipt of accepted bids.

Dr. Harrington, in closing, urged the freshmen to seriously consider conditions, to acquaint themselves thoroughly with the two systems and to give the fraternities a square deal. He assured them that, on the other hand, the fraternities would play fairly with them.

First Victory Parade

Middlebury had her first victory parade of the year, last Saturday night, in celebration of the victory over Union in the first game of the season. Counting the score and singing victory songs, the students marched to the station and met the train. The frosh turned out fine and followed the upper classmen in the songs and cheers. Sam Davis '21 led the cheers for the team, Coaches and Al Golnick, Golnick being the center of attraction as he was the man making the touchdown.

Roland J. Darby, President of the Undergraduate Association has wired that he will return to college the first of October. During the past summer he has been managing a garage in Whitefield, N. H.

PERSONAL

'20. Henry S. Thomas sailed September 23 for a year of study in France. His address is c-o Morgan, Harjes & Co., Paris.

'02. Julius A. Willcox of Montpelier, Vt., who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is slowly gaining. Mr. Willcox was manager of the recent campaign conducted by Mr. James Hartness of Springfield, Republican nominee for governor of Vermont.

Remaining Games on Schedule

Oct. 2—Springfield T. C., Here
Oct. 9—West Point at West Point
Oct. 16—Boston University at Boston
Oct. 23—Stevens at Hoboken
Oct. 30—Norwich at Northfield
Nov. 6—St. Lawrence, Here
Nov. 13—Vermont, Here

FRENCH SCHOOL FOR GRADUATES ESTABLISHED

Many Advanced Courses Elected by College Students

The Maison Francaise, the only school of its kind in America, has started its first year at the old Logan House, and under the direction of Professor Williamson de Visme.

The purpose of this new department of Middlebury College is to give thorough training to graduate and advanced students in French, stressing work in conversation, phonetics, dictation, diction, literature, and grammar. Courses are open to undergraduates of Middlebury and a few have availed themselves of this opportunity. The school is devoted entirely to French. The students live at the school, have their classes there, eat there and spend a large number of their evenings in the social rooms, where entertainments are held from time to time. The customs and usages at the school are adapted to the French so far as possible. All conversation is carried on in French. French newspapers and literature are provided for the students, and the use of English is prohibited in the building.

The entire Logan House is given over to the Maison Francaise. The building has been entirely renovated, and refitted for the school. Last commencement the school was inaugurated by the French Consul General to New York. In the reception room are two steel engravings presented to the school by the French government, and a large painting of the river Seine, Paris, France, given to the college by some of its former graduates.

Results of Choir Try-Outs Announced

Announcement of the results of choir try-outs conducted last week were made yesterday by Professor Lewis J. Hathaway of the Department of Music as follows: Sopranos—Misses Gaylor, H. Bolton, Macky, Long; Altos—Misses Carlson, Billings, Wiley, G. Wright; Tenors—Messrs. Pierce, Stockwell, Hunter, Lorenzo; Basses—Messrs. Swan, Prescott, Watson, Gollnick.

Professor Lacalle to Address Modern Language Association

Professor J. Moreno-Lacalle, Head of the Department of Spanish, has been invited to deliver a lecture to the Vermont Group of the New England Modern Language Association to be held in Burlington October 6-8, in connection with the Convention of the Vermont State Teachers' Association. Professor Lacalle's address will be on "Course Planning and Selection of Text Books".

Student Government Meeting

A meeting of the women of the three upper classes was held in the hemicycle yesterday afternoon to discuss the proposed changes in the constitution of the Student Government Association. Miss Ross and Mrs. White, members of the Faculty Advisory Committee spoke to the women upon the advisability of retaining certain of the proposed rules which were rejected by the student body last June. A two thirds vote of the faculty is now necessary to make the rules effective.

Miss Bertha E. Wood was called yesterday to her home in Canton, N. Y., by the illness of her mother.

Enrollment Statistics
Undergraduates

Year	Men	Women	Total
1911-12	158	147	305
1912-13	173	147	320
1913-14	176	151	327
1914-15	175	164	339
1915-16	187	156	343
1916-17	203	169	372
1917-18	135	151	286
1918-19	160	159	319
1919-20	200	187	387
1920-21	204	222	426

SAMUEL SHELDON DIES HERE

Well Known Electrical Engineer Had Studied With Kohlrausch

Was Professor of Physics at Brooklyn; Graduated Here in 1883

Samuel Sheldon, Professor of Physics and Engineering at Brooklyn Polythecnic Institute died at his summer home in Middlebury September 4. He was born in Middlebury November 3, 1861, and was a graduate of Middlebury College Class of 1883.

Professor Sheldon prepared for college in Beeman Academy, New Haven, Vt., matriculating in the fall of 1879. From this institution he received the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts at the end of his period of study here and in 1911 that of Doctor of Science was conferred upon him. From the University of Wurtzburg, Germany where he studied with Kohlrausch in his determination of the ohm he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy which was followed in 1909 by that of Doctor of Science from University of Pennsylvania.

During 1888-89 Professor Sheldon was assistant in the Department of Physics, Harvard University. Since that date he has been associated with Brooklyn Polythecnic Institute. He was president of the Department of Electricity, Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, consulting engineer, and frequently gave expert testimony in State and Federal cases; expert Swiss Department of Justice and Police since 1903, secretary Section B International Electrical Congress 1904, member International Electrical Jury of Awards, St. Louis Exposition, 1904; honorable fellow American Electro-Therapeutic Association, member American Institute of Electrical Engineers, Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education, American Physical Society, United Engineering Society, New York Electrical Society.

Professor Sheldon was married to Miss Frances Warner Putnam, June 18, 1891, who died three years ago. He is survived by one son, Samuel Sheldon. Professor Sheldon was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and of Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternities

W. R. Cole Succeeds Donnelly on 1922 Kaleidoscope Board

At a meeting of the 1922 Kaleidoscope Board held Friday in the Pedagogy Library, Cole, '22 was appointed Athletic Editor to succeed Donnelly '22 who has not returned to college. Plans for the new book were discussed and assignments were apportioned to the various editors. Bids from publishers will be called for within a few weeks and the contract will be awarded as soon as possible.

SUMMER SESSION AN UNUSUAL SUCCESS

Three Hundred and Thirty-nine Here For Seven Weeks' Training

Four Distinct Schools Conducted; Registration Under Way for 1921

On August 19 Middlebury College completed its twelfth Summer Session, the largest and most successful in its history. Middlebury, in comparatively few years, has won an unusual reputation throughout the United States and in certain parts of Europe for instruction in those modern languages in which the college maintains special summer schools.

The Session of 1920 completed the transition of the summer work of the college from the old conventional type of summer school to the specialized schools of English, French, Spanish, and Chemistry. Middlebury has been a leader among American colleges in such a change and has demonstrated what a small college can do when it bases its aims upon qualitative rather than quantitative considerations.

The season of 1920 opened with an advance registration of three hundred and sixty-one students. Three hundred and thirty-nine remained in actual residence at the college and at Bread Loaf during the season, showing a shrinkage of only a little over six per cent. This number of summer visitors taxed the housing facilities of the college to their utmost, and necessitated the leasing of ten buildings by the Director to meet increasing demands for accommodations in the French School.

The staff of instructors engaged in summer session teaching was larger than the regular Faculty of the college, the demand for separate rooms being the reason the summer session student body is not in excess of that of the academic year. The gross increase in receipts over those of last similar enlargement of current expenditures.

The French School began in 1916 with twenty students which was increased the following year to thirty-eight, and in 1918 to fifty-two. The year following, 1919, this school came into prominence among teachers of French in the United States for the quality of work which had been done and its registration in that year was one hundred and two. The same ratio of gain was again evident this year when the advance registrations rose to two hundred and fourteen. Reservations for the Session of 1921 began before the close of college last June and have now reached one hundred and seventeen. The lack of sufficient housing facilities will necessitate a sharp limitation in the number of students to be admitted in 1921.

The entire college income from students in 1909 was $11,095, which was twice as much as it had been the previous year. This income is considerably surpassed by the $13,417 collected on tuition accounts only from the students in the summer session of 1920, and this in turn is augmented by over $2500 in registration and incidental fees. The total income of Middlebury College in 1910 was $36,072. The total collections of the Summer Session in 1920 are a little over $45,000, an increase of nearly $20,000 over those of a year ago. The registration of students in the Summer School of 1920 is larger than that of the college in any year of its history save 1919-20. In 1909-10 the college enrolled, exclusive of the summer session, two hundred and two students and had upon its faculty eighteen members engaged in actual instruction. In 1920 the summer session enrolled three hundred and thirty-nine students and had an active staff of forty-one persons, exclusive of the Director's office.

'19. W. R. Canty is teaching in St. Louis, Mo.

NEUTRAL MEN CAPTURE SCHOLARSHIP CUP

Last Semester's Record Decides Permanent Ownership of Trophy

By winning first place in the interfraternity scholarship contest for the third consecutive year Non-Fraternity men this year acquire permanent possession of the silver loving cup first offered in 1916. Among the sororities Sigma Kappa retained first place by a slight margin over Alpha Chi and as a consequence completed two-thirds of the time required for final ownership of the similar cup offered to the Women's College.

The contest among the men has at no time been as close as among the women. With the exception of 1916-17 when honors were divided by Delta Upsilon and Chi Psi the Non-Fraternity men have retained uninterrupted possession of the trophy. No award was made following the fall term of the war year, 1918, when direction of the Men's College was temporarily in the hands of military authorities. Prior to the fall of 1918 when Sigma Kappa first acquired the scholarship title, Non-Fraternity women had ended two years in first place.

Results of the second semester, 1920 are as follows:

Fraternities

	per cent
Non-Fraternity	82.64
Delta Upsilon	79.86
Kappa Delta Rho	79.63
Chi Psi	78.12
Alpha Sigma Phi	78.11
Delta Kappa Epsilon	74.36
Total	**77.98**

Sororities

Sigma Kappa	84.64
Alpha Chi	84.37
Non-Sorority	83.66
Pi Beta Phi	82.87
Delta Delta Delta	80.36
Total	**83.31**

Record of title awards since 1916.

Men

	Average
1916-17, 1st Semester D. U.	77.35
1916-17, 2nd Semester Chi Psi	76.54
1917-18, 1st Semester Neutrals	79.36
1917-18, 2nd Semester Neutrals	79.83
1918-19, 2nd Term Neutrals	78.62
1918-19, 3ro Term Neutrals	79.85
1919-20, 1st Semester Neutrals	82.18
1919-20, 2nd Semester Neutrals	62.64

Women

1916-17, 1st Semester Neutrals	84.18
1916-17, 2nd Semester Neutrals	83.40
1917-18, 1st Semester Neutrals	82.38
1917-18, 2nd Semester Neutrals	84.07
1918-19, 1st Term Sigma Kappa	84.91
1918-19, 2nd Term Sigma Kappa	84.14
1918-19, 3rd Term Sigma Kappa	84.75
1919-20, 1st Sem. Sigma Kappa	84.34
1919-20, 2nd Sem. Sigma Kappa	84.64

MIDD WINS FROM UNION

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oping an open game which bids for success in future contests.

Middlebury (6)	Union (0)
Brigham, l. e.,	l. e., Murray
Potratz, l. t.,	l. t., Gregory
Kalin, l. g.,	l. g., Smimme
Moynihan, c,	c, Hendrickson
Keppler, r. g.,	r. g., Willetts
Mead, r. t.,	r. t., Beekman
Brown, r. e.,	r. e., Welling
Leonard, q. b.,	q. b., Goff
Ashley, l. h. b.,	l. h. b., Mallory
Drost, r. h. b.,	r. h. b., Bricker
Gollnick, f. b.,	f. b., Mosher

Score by periods:

Middlebury	0	6	0	0	—6
Union	0	0	0	0	—0

Substitutions— Middlebury · Reinbreck for Keppler, Lobo for Drost Gallagher for Brigham. Union—Holmes for Hendrickson, Deegan for Willetts, E. Meyers for Welling, Jones for Mallory.

Referee—Mr. Chase, Maine. Umpire—Mr. Draper, Williams. Head linesman—Mr. Murray, Williams. Time of periods—Ten minutes.

Results of Other Games

Vermont—10: St. Lawrence—7
Springfield—21: Bowdoin—0
Boston Univ.—0: Maine Univ.—0

MIDD'S OLDEST GRADUATE DEAD

Rev. Edw. P. Stone Was Member of 1853 Class

Was Prominent in Congregational Church—Death in Rutland

Rev. Edward Pason Stone, the oldest graduate of Middlebury College, a veteran of the Civil War and prominent Vermont minister, died Saturday morning, September 11, at the home of his sister, Miss Marguerite B Stone, Rutland, Vt., following an illness of several weeks. Rev. Stone aged 90 years, was graduated with the Class of 1853 and had lived in Rutland 17 years.

Edward Pason Stone was the son of John Fitch and Lydia Powers (Paddocsk) Stone. He was born in Quechee, August 1, 1830 and prepared for college in Bakersfield and Montpelier. He taught in Royalton, in 1853-1855; North Carolina, 1855-1857; Chester, 1858; Woburn, Mass., 1859; Newtonville, 1860. He was ordained to the ministry in 1861. He was chaplain of the sixth Regiment, Vermont Volunteers, 1861-1863, pastor of the Congregational church at Centerville, Mass., 1863-1865; Wellesley, 1865; agent American Home Missionary society at Boston, 1865-1869, pastor at Waterford, 1869-1871; Underhill and Essex 1871-1875; Pembroke and Center Harbor, N. H., 1875-1879; General Missionary of the A. H. M. society with residence at Lapeer, Mich., 1880. Rev. Stone published a number of essays and held the degree of Master of Arts.

Rev. Stone was married three times; Martha E. Stone, August 9, 1855; Laura J. Noble. August 7, 1869; and January 27, 1881 to Hannah I. (Rood) Barber. During his second marriage two sons were born, Edward Noble, who survives and Albert who died in infancy.

ALUMNI BANQUET GAINS HEADWAY WITH MEN

Committee to be Named Soon; Fitzpatrick Asst. Football Mgr.

On the motion of Captain Winfield S. Heath of basketball, the Undergraduate Association at the first regular meeting of the college year last night voted unanimously to empower Student Council to appoint a committee on arrangements for the Alumni-Undergraduate Banquet, the eve of the Vermont-Middlebury game, Saturday, Nov. 12. The plan, introduced by Acting Dean L. I. Bonney last year, is known to have the support of Faculty and a number of prominent alumni. The vacancy for the position of Assistant Manager of football caused by the non-return of M. Ross '22 was filled by the election of Harry J. Fitzpatrick, of Ottawa, Can. Mr. Fitzpatrick was opposed by R. H. Brokenshire and C. E. Howard, both being nominated from the floor.

Fitzpatrick was a candidate for the position which he now holds at the post-season election conducted last year as were Howard and Brokenshire. He was elected last night by a large majority, receiving 61 votes as against the 23 and 7 for Brokenshire and Howard, respectively.

The meeting was presided over by Vice-President C. J. Haugh in the absence of President Darby. A four piece orchestra led the body in singing Alma Mater and other Middlebury songs and furnished accompaniment for a snake-dance in which nearly two hundred participated at the conclusion of the session.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Campus will publish free of charge advance notices of meetings or other events occuring during the current week when such notices are delivered by Monday afternoon at The Campus office.

F. W. WILLIAMS SUCCEEDS PROFESSOR McFARLAND

The College announces the appointment of Frederick F. Williams as a successor of Professor Raymond McFarland for eleven years with the Department of Pedagogy and five years director of the Summer Session, recently resigned.

Professor Williams has been recently pursuing post graduate study in Education at Harvard and comes to his new work with a large amount of academic training and practical experience. He is a graduate of Amherst College in the classical course, holds the Degree of Master of Arts from Amherst. He is also a graduate of the Fitchburg Normal School and has pursued graduate work at Dartmouth College in Summer Session and at Hyannis Normal School, from which he holds a regular diploma. He also holds the degree of Master of Arts at Columbia University for courses in education and received the Master's Degree at Harvard University in 1920, havig pursued courses under the prominent instructors in education at that institution.

Professor Williams' practical experience as a teacher began in Vermont in Thetford Academy. After five years, during which he acted as teacher and high school principal, he became a superintendent of schools in the Berkshires, a position which he occupied for seven years. He comes to Middlebury with the strongest endorsement of his work as a superintendent and as a student. He will take up his work at the opening of the College year and will offer courses in the History and Theory of Education, Problems of Secondary Education, and Educational Psychology.

'20. Perry E. Fellows is teaching Biology in East Bloomington, Ill.

'20. C. Stanley Kinne is now connected with the New York Telephone Co., in New York City.

'20. S. Donald Miner has a position in the laboratories of the Westinghouse Electric Co., in East Pittsburg, Pa.

'20. "Bill" Brackett and Haskins Canfield are studying for the degree of M. E. at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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FAMOUS MENTORS DRILL BLUE TEAM

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liminary training at the Lake Dunmore camp. W. W. ("Dutch") Eider, captain of the Williams eleven in 1907 and team-mate of Coach Brown has been working with the squad during the past week.

Morey matriculated in 1909 from Malden (Mass.) High School where he played four years on 'Varsity football, baseball, track and basketball teams. Class captaincies in football and baseball during his first year at Dartmouth forecasted his later preeminence in the two sports. Playing at right half on the Green 'Varsity during his last three years in college Morey was twice selected by Walter Camp for All-American elevens. In baseball he was for three consecutive years first string pitcher and captained the 1913 nine. He also played on 'Varsity track and basketball teams two years. Following graduation he was signed up by the Philadelphia Americans, later going to the Canadian and New England Leagues. More recently he has coached Dartmouth teams as well as those representing several academies and Lowell Textile. "Dutch" Elder attained the reputation of being one of the best ends Williams has yet produced through four years' experience on her first teams. This was preceded by four seasons of 'Varsity playing at Exeter. Following his successfull captaincy in 1907 he served several years as coach of Purple elevens. With Lyman B. Tobin, Middlebury '09 he is director of Camp Maquam, on Lake Champlain. His wife, formerly Miss Marguerite Harwood graduated from Middlebury with the Class of 1907. Mr. Elder left Sunday for New York City where he is a teacher in Browning School.

PERSONAL

'20. Herbert C. Brokenshire, Pawtucket, R. I., has entered Cornell School of Medicine, New York City.

'20. Guy O. Coolidge, Rutland, Vt., has enrolled in French Graduate School, Middlebury College.

'20. Walbridge B. Fullington, Johnson, Vt., is teaching at Bordentown Military Institute, Bordentown, N. J.

'20. Fred H. Carpentier, Rutland, Vt., is working with Western Electric Co., in New York City.

'00. A daughter, Dorothy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Severy, New York City, September 12, 1920.

Ex-'13. Kendall S. McLean is with the John F. Logan Company, 156 State St., Boston, Mass.

'20. Ralph E. Sincerbox, Wassaic, N. Y., is employed by the General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

'20. Raymond K. Farnham is at Bowdoin studying medicine.

'20. Alan Furber, Brookline, Mass., is teaching at Powder Point School, Duxbury, Mass.

'18. Roscoe E. Dake has taken a position as Vice-Principal of Troy Conference Academy. "Rocky" is to teach chemistry and coach athletic teams.

'19. John B. Todd is in the Advertising Department of the Goodyear Tire Co., Akron, Ohio.

'20. David J. Breen, New York City, is teaching at Montclair Academy, Montclair, N. J.

'20. Harold B. Tatro, a former Middlebury track star, is connected with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and is located at Pittsburg, Pa.

'20. Clesson W. Parker is now employed by the Parker Shirt Co., of New Britain. "Keck", who is remembered as the man who defeated Norwich, is helping coach the New Britain High School team.

Ex-'21. George Miske, Waterbury, Conn., for two years 'Varsity captain of basketball, has entered Cornell University, School of Engineering.

Ex-'23. Harold Farnham is studying dentistry at Tufts.

Ex-'22. Merwin O. Peterson is taking a course in business administration at Columbia University.

PRESIDENT THOMAS DELIVERS ADDRESS

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speech, and their beech seal for Tories, but across all the miles of forest and prairie the Green Mountain Boy is own brother to the cow-boy of the plains and the trapper and fur-trader of the Rockies. The older communities of the Atlantic seaboard have contributed much to the life of the nation. They have promoted culture, swayed national policies, developed American industry, and preserved a stable finance. But the national domain, the continent whose broad extent is the foundation of the distinctive American culture, whose wealth has enforced the will of the nation, furnished food for her industry and saved her finance, was won by the pioneer with the squirrel cap. He has had too little honor in American history. His rough speech and forbidding exterior have not especially commended him to those who write books. His vices have been plain enough in all too many instances—coarse language, intemperance in drink, anger that burned fiercely, hatred of an enemy that lasted till death. But his virtues are also discernible—he could fell the largest trees and ford the wildest rivers, he could shoot straight and wait for his range under fire, and take care of himself alone in the forest in the dead of winter; he was afraid of nothing under God's open sky, and his boy could take up his axe and rifle at an age when European offspring were scarcely out of the cradle. If virtues are qualities which God needs for His work, the qualities of the American pioneer must be judged less harshly than our drawing room doctrines have been inclined.

"The first stage of the march in the conquest of the continent was accomplished by the Green Mountain Boys. Our glory is not alone in Plymouth Rock: it is far more on the prairies and beneath the Rockies, where the spirit that awoke first in the Green Mountain valleys has made America great. Vermont, first inland state, first proved the power of expansion in the American people. She was the first state which was never a colony, never in bondage to any man. Her closest kinship is with the free American pioneers, not with the old world colonists. She can never be content as a minor state of New England, a dependency of Boston. The men of Vermont started for the west, and if they did not get far, they got far enough to catch the spirit. It is ignorance of her history and denial of her genius that advises her to remain self-centered, training her children toward the occupations which their fathers happened to choose. Vermonters are citizens of great America, pioneers of a continent, and we demand an education toward the life of the nation.

"Old Vermont!—to the hurrying traveler along her eastern and western highways, a wilderness of wild mountains with a narrow foreground of meager farms; but to those who know her defiles and passes a net-work of fertile valleys, smiling in plenty and content: baptized in struggle and bred to diplomacy and war, her children fighters all; yet as true a lover of peace as ever lived beside great hills: cautious, close-mouthed, secretive, trained by bitter experience to the wisdom of suspicion; yet opening her heart to her friends with the candor of a child; excelled by none in unity and brotherhood when roused to a common cause, then lapsing by reaction to jealousy and neighbor hate when times are tame and dull; never less defeated than when her case has gone against her, and always prompt with a motion to reconsider; the passions of two peoples struggling within her, the stable east and the restless west: loving her mountain sod with devotion unsurpassed in any land beside the seven seas, yet thrusting her children out to a better country—a mother of pioneers prodigal beyond all others; brave and self-sacrificing to a fault, proud and self-reliant; yet in her secret heart an underlying fear born of the bitterest disappointments that ever attended the birth of a state: land of contradictions to her friends from without and to all who seek to put her genius into words; but to those who know her and to whom she accords her love, straightforward and single in loyalty to her mission: dear old Vermont!"

"Members of the Class of 1924:

We welcome you this morning to the college of Daniel P. Thompson, where he learned just 100 years ago to love the Vermont forests and the story of the Vermont pioneers. We hope you will come to love them too and to imbibe as he did the strength of the hills. Whether from near or far, you will look out for four years on the graceful valley and the glorious mountains beyond, and if you view them with sympathetic soul, they will teach you beyond any power of books. These mountains have been makers of men, men of strength, lovers of freedom more than lovers of life, simple in bearing, unpretentious, not effusive, but keen in mind, shrewd in judgment, unconquerable in will, good fighters, content that life should hold its inevitable disappointments, but never yielding their faith nor their pride. It is character we seek to build in you, founded on the strength of the hills, which we believe our college symbolizes both in outward form and in inward spirit. However learned or skilled you become, we shall have failed in our chief purpose unless we reach this goal. Very frankly and definitely Middlebury College is committed, not to the setting of all wisdom before you that you may choose we care not what, but to the exposition of that wisdom which makes men of the calibre of the men who made Vermont. There was never more need of such men than just now. To this work, therefore, let us set ourselves with all our strength.

"I now declare you duly matriculated students of Middlebury College and members of the class of 1924."

PERSONAL

'20. Madine Rogers teaches at Proctor, Vt.

'19. Ruth Clough teaches in Greenwich, N. Y.

'20. Gertrude V. Moore is teaching in New Jersey.

Ex-'20. Mildred Cann visited with friends in Middlebury last week.

'19. Elizabeth Johnson has resigned her position at Danvers and is teaching in Amesbury, Mass.

'19. Marion Swan has accepted a position as a teacher in Delaware.

'20. Ethel Wells is employed in New York City.

'19. Gertrude Perkins has been appointed to the teaching staff of Middlebury High School.

'20. Mildred Hubbard is teaching Home Economics at the Lyndonville Institute, Lyndonville, Vt.

PERSONAL

'20. Pauline Locklin and Edith Best are teaching in Montpelier High School, Montpelier, Vt.

'20. Ruth Joslin has a position as teacher in Northfield Seminary, Northfield, Mass.

'20. Marion Mullings is teaching in the high school at Waitsfield, Vt.

'20. Marie Henrichon is teaching in Jericho, Vt.

'20. Helen Clark is teaching in the high school at Brandon, Vt.

'19. The engagement of Marguerite Dyer to Wayne Bosworth of Middlebury, has been announced.

'20. Kathleen Garrow is teaching Home Economics at Shorter College, at Rome, Georgia.

'20. Gertrude Graves is teaching in the high school at Morrisville, Vt.

ENROLLMENT RECORDS AT COLLEGE OPENING

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been practically eliminated by offering board for the entire semester at quite a substantial reduction. Mrs. Maude O. Mason, manager of the men's dining hall, states that 140 are now eating there regularly and that this number will soon be increased. Three fraternities, Chi Psi, Delta Kappa Epsilon and Kappa Delta Rho, are boarding a total of sixty men.

Among the alumni present at the opening exercises were Sanford H. Lane, '05, a trustee of the college, Charles B. Toleman, 1894, William H. Botsford, 1898, B. W. Sherman, 1890, J. A. Fletcher, 1887, A. W. Eddy, 1904, Robert C. Ryder, 1910, Marguerite Dyer, 1919, David W. Reid, Daniel H. Moreau, William A. Huggard and William E. McMaster of the class of 1920.

Notice

Mr. Alfred T. Larsen of Burlington, recently engaged as Instructor of Music for the current year, will meet violin pupils in Music Hall Friday afternoon.

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Into the press of your worth while days
Blessed with October's golden haze:
Here are our greetings to old and new
Brought under the spell of the white and blue,
And whatever you find that is good to do,
Or whatever the pleasure that beckons you,
It's "down to Betsey's" you'll find good cheer
And a royal welcome the live long year.

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ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH

(EPISCOPAL)

Reverend and Mrs. Elbert B. Holmes cordially invite all Episcopalian students and their friends to a reception, to be held at the rectory, 119 So. Main St., on Thursday, Sept. 30, at 7:30 p.m.

The Church service for next Sunday is at 10:45 a.m., and will be the Holy Communion. On all Sundays except the first in the month the services are, Holy Communion at 8 a.m., and Morning Prayer and Sermon at 8 a.m.

Students who sing will have an opportunity of being of service to the local Church by assisting in the choir.

The latch string is always out for Middlebury students at the rectory.

ELBERT B. HOLMES, Rector.